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Applicants: William G. Thilly  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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X	\$42	\$
+	\$140	\$

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 24, 2001 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

Applicants are submitting this Supplemental Amendment to correct inadvertent formal and typographical errors that appear in Applicant's Reply mailed December 26, 2001.

Submitted concurrently herewith is a revised Substitute Specification and a revised "Marked Up Version of Amendments" (Exhibit A). A copy of the Declaration of Inventorship of Dr. William G. Thilly, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.32, which was filed on December 26, 2001, is also included as a convenience to the Examiner.